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PATENT Customer No. 22,852 Attorney Docket No. 9136.0007-00

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re	Application of:)	
VANNIASINKAM, Joseph et al.)	Group Art Unit: 2883
Application No.: 10/028,419)	Examiner: KIANNI, Kaveh C.
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the Office Action mailed June 9, 2006, the period for response to which extends through September 9, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper beginning on page 2.

Remarks follow the amendment sections of this paper beginning on page 5.